

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA**

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CONSTRUCTION OF CGHS DISPENSARIES

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Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of new CGHS dispensaries under construction in Delhi and the time by when they are expected to be completed and made functional for the beneficiaries ;

(b) whether the Government is aware that the foundation stone of a CGHS dispensary in Shalimar Bagh ,Delhi , was laid by the then Labour Minister about two years back but construction has not yet been started so far despite the assurance given that it would become functional by February ,2004 including the one at Pushpanjali in Pitampura; and

(c) if so, the reasons for delay and the time by when the dispensary in Shalimar Bagh is likely to be constructed and made functional?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) : The CGHS has conveyed the Administrative approval and Expenditure Sanction to the CPWD for construction of CGHS dispensary buildings at the following places under CGHS Delhi:-

1. Shalimar Bagh
2. Tagore Garden
3. Noida
4. Dilshad Garden
5. Shakurbasti
6. Kamla Nehru Nagar (Ghaziabad)
7. Pitampura

No time frame can be indicated regarding completion of building works as many agencies are involved. Only after the completed buildings are handed over to the CGHS, the dispensaries can be made functional in them. For the present, the above dispensaries are functioning in rented buildings.

(b)&(c): The action relating to the construction of CGHS dispensary building at Shalimar Bagh has already been initiated. The Delhi Urban Arts Commission(DUAC) vide letter dated 2.9.2004 has desired major changes in the plan for which new drawings were submitted to DUAC for approval. However, DUAC has asked for certain additional drawings. Meanwhile, the DDA has been requested to provide NOC for sanction of the building plan on receipt of which the MCD shall be requested to approve the drawings for the building.

As regards construction of CGHS dispensary building at Pitampura, the Central Design Bureau, Dte.GHS has been asked to prepare the drawings which would then be sent to the local bodies for their approval.